

## 2022 SAE RFP MiSPARC Program -- Frequently Asked Questions

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1. Is the Pre-Bid webinar being recorded?
  - a. Yes – the recording, and FAQ are available on our website
2. Can grant funds be braided with other state and federal funds?
  - b. Yes, in some cases, depending on the type of fund and guidelines on allowable co-enrollment.
3. Can MiSPARC funding be braided specifically with SAE 2020 Grant Program, MiSTAIRS, and Going PRO Talent Fund funding?
  - a. Yes.
4. For the transportation sector of the construction industry, can funds be used for CDL, or CDL A training?
  - a. Yes, as long as the training is required for the AR program and meets the requirements of a Quality Pre-Apprenticeship program, and other requirements, as detailed in the MiSPARC Program RFP.
5. Is the transportation sector of the construction industry specific to road construction?
  - a. No.
6. Can you further define the building and transportation sectors of the construction industry?
  - a. US Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS), Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics (OEWS) estimates for Michigan's construction industry occupations, as of May 2020 (the most recent list) are found here:

[https://www.bls.gov/oes/current/oes\\_research\\_estimates.htm](https://www.bls.gov/oes/current/oes_research_estimates.htm)

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US Department of Labor (USDOL), Office of Apprenticeship (OA) Approved Apprenticeship Occupations are listed here:

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Filtering the BLS OEWS results for Michigan's construction industry occupations in the building and transportation sectors and then cross-referencing those with USDOL OA Approved Apprenticeship Occupations produces the following summary list of occupations that comprise the building and transportation sectors of the construction industry in Michigan including, but not limited to:

Accountants and Auditors  
Administrative Services and Facilities Managers  
Architectural and Civil Drafters  
Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics  
Boilermakers  
Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks  
Brickmasons (Bricklayers) and Blockmasons (Masons)  
Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists  
Buyers and Purchasing Agents  
Cabinetmakers and Bench Carpenters  
Carpenters  
Carpet Installers  
Cement Masons and Concrete Finishers  
Compliance Officers  
Computer and Information Systems Managers  
Computer Network Support Specialists  
Computer Occupations, All Other  
Computer User Support Specialists  
Construction and Building Inspectors  
Construction Laborers  
Control and Valve Installers and Repairers, Except Mechanical Door  
Crane and Tower Operators  
Customer Service Representatives  
Data Entry Keyers  
Dispatchers, Except Police, Fire, and Ambulance  
Drywall and Ceiling Tile Installers  
Earth Drillers, Except Oil and Gas; and Explosives Workers, Ordnance Handling Experts, and Blasters  
Electrical and Electronic Engineering Technologists and Technicians  
Electrical and Electronics Drafters  
Electrical Power-Line Installers and Repairers  
Electricians  
Elevator and Escalator Installers and Repairers  
Excavating and Loading Machine and Dragline Operators, Surface Mining  
Fence Erectors  
Financial and Investment Analysts, Financial Risk Specialists, and Financial Specialists, All Other  
Financial Managers  
First-Line Supervisors of Transportation and Material Moving Workers, Except

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Aircraft Cargo Handling Supervisors  
Floor Layers, Except Carpet, Wood, and Hard Tiles  
Glaziers  
General and Operations Managers  
Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers  
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers  
Helpers--Brickmasons, Blockmasons, Stonemasons, and Tile and Marble Setters  
Helpers--Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers  
Human Resources Assistants, Except Payroll and Timekeeping  
Human Resources Specialists  
Industrial Machinery Mechanics  
Industrial Production Managers  
Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers  
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers, All Other  
Insulation Workers, Floor, Ceiling, and Wall  
Insulation Workers, Mechanical  
Interior Designers  
Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners  
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand  
Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers  
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General  
Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists  
Mechanical Door Repairers  
Mechanical Drafters  
Mechanical Engineers  
Millwrights  
Miscellaneous Construction and Related Workers  
Mixing and Blending Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders  
Mobile Heavy Equipment Mechanics, Except Engines  
Molders, Shapers, and Casters, Except Metal and Plastic  
Network and Computer Systems Administrators  
Occupational Health and Safety Specialists  
Occupational Health and Safety Technicians  
Office Clerks, General  
Operating Engineers and Other Construction Equipment Operators  
Painters, Construction and Maintenance  
Paving, Surfacing, and Tamping Equipment Operators  
Payroll and Timekeeping Clerks  
Plasterers and Stucco Masons  
Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters  
Production, Planning, and Expediting Clerks  
Project Management Specialists and Business Operations Specialists, All Other  
Property, Real Estate, and Community Association Managers  
Public Relations Specialists  
Radio, Cellular, and Tower Equipment Installers and Repairers

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Reinforcing Iron and Rebar Workers  
Riggers  
Rotary Drill Operators, Oil and Gas  
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive  
Security and Fire Alarm Systems Installers  
Sheet Metal Workers  
Software Developers and Software Quality Assurance Analysts and Testers  
Stonemasons  
Structural Iron and Steel Workers  
Structural Metal Fabricators and Fitters  
Tapers  
Telecommunications Equipment Installers and Repairers, Except Line Installers  
Telecommunications Line Installers and Repairers  
Tile and Stone Setters  
Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers